



PASCO

Chamber of Commerce

RE: MB Docket No. 15-149

Tom Wheeler
Chairman
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, SW
Washington, DC 20554

Dear Chairman Wheeler,

The Pasco Chamber of Commerce has over 100 years of experience in bringing together area businesses and the community to achieve economic security and an overall exceptional quality of life. We are motivated by our outstanding entrepreneurs, and seek to encourage initiatives that will benefit their work. We support the merger of Charter Communications, Time Warner Cable and Bright House Networks because it would strive to connect all consumers with its innovative broadband services.

The merger would result in New Charter, a company dedicated to reaching all consumers in its national footprint, regardless of their economic standing. The company understands that its products are critical for professional, educational and personal uses. New Charter would work to engage with underserved communities through a low-income program that would provide high-quality broadband to households that are currently priced out of the market. The program would help families with children and adults pursuing their studies with the help of the Internet, and would contribute to overall community development.

New Charter would work to maintain the most updated forms of broadband connection, with a special emphasis on WiFi. The company understands that tablets and mobiles are quickly replacing desktops for many online needs. WiFi connections will only gain importance as we continue to engage with more mobile devices. New Charter understands this industry trend, and would invest in 300,000 out-of-home WiFi hotspots across the country.

We look forward to working with New Charter, and believe our members would benefit from its services. We ask that you consider the merger's positive impact and give it your approval.

Sincerely,



Colin Hastings
Executive Director